Uttaranchal, namely, Shri Manohar Kant Dhyani and one Member from Jammu and Kashmir, namely, Shri Kushok Thiksey, are retiring today on the completion of their terms of office. Some of the retiring Members have been re-elected, but others, who could not come back, will surely be missed in this House. The retiring Members have made valuable contributions to the proceedings of the House through their mature and seasoned participation. I am sure that they will cherish the memory of their association with this august House.

I wish them good health, happiness and success in every sphere of life.

MOTION FOR ELECTION TO THE CENTRAL COMMITTEE OF THE TUBERCULOSIS ASSOCIATION OF INDIA

THE MINISTER OF HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE (SHRI SHATRUGHAN SINHA): Sir, I beg to move:

> "That in pursuance of Rule 3 (vii) (b) of the Memorandum of Association with Rules and Regulations and Bye-Laws of the Tuberculosis Association of India, this House do proceed to elect, in such manner as the Chairman may direct, one Member from among the Members of the House to the Central Committee of the Tuberculosis Association of India vice Shri T.N. Chaturvedi, who has resigned his seat from the Rajya Sabha w.e.f. 20th August, 2002."

The question was put and the motion was adopted.

MOTION FOR ELECTION TO THE NATIONAL WELFARE BOARD FOR SEAFARERS

THE MINISTER OF SHIPPING (SHRI VED PRAKASH GOYAL): Sir, I beg to move:

> "That in pursuance of clause (i) of Rule 4 of the National Welfare Board for Seafarers Rules, 1963, (as amended) made under sub-section (2) of section 218 of the Merchant Shipping Act, 1958 (44 of 1958) this House do proceed to elect, in such manner as the Chairman may direct, one member from among the members of